

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of  
Roland CHERIF CHEIKH et al.  
Serial No. (unknown)  
Filed herewith

SYRINGES FOR THE ADMINISTRATION  
OF PASTY OR SEMI-SOLID FORMU-  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee, please amend  
the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 1-43.

Add the following new claims:

--44. (new) A syringe intended for the parenteral  
injection of a semi-solid formulation, comprising a hollow  
element forming a reservoir (1), for containing a semi-solid  
preparation to be injected, between a piston and a base (4) of  
a needle (3) which comes into contact with one end of said  
reservoir (1), so that the piston (2) comes into direct  
contact with said base (4) at the end of injection of the dose  
contained in said element forming a reservoir, said element  
forming a reservoir (1) and said needle (3) being held  
fastened to each other by direct application of the element

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